Headquarters, Fourth Army,

25, 11, 18,

## II AMERICAN CORPS.

- 1. I wish to express to you my thanks for, and appreciation of, the excellent work done by the 102nd and 105th Regiments of Engineers, whose services you were good enough to place at my disposal.
- 2. The work done by these two regiments on the light railways was of the greatest value in getting through the system of light railways communication which, owing to the continuous destruction of the broad gauge lines by delay action mines, was the means by which it was possible to maintain the troops and continue the fighting which led to such great results.
- 3. I will be glad if you will be so good as to convey to Colonel A. H. Acker and Colonel J. H. Pratt, Commanding, respectively, the 102nd and 105th Engineers, and to the Officers, Non-commissioned Officers and Men of these regiments, this expression of the keen appreciation with which their valuable and cordial coöperation has been regarded by all ranks of the Fourth Army.

(Signed) H. RAWLINSON, Commanding Fourth Army.

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HDQRS. 30TH DIVISION, American Expeditionary Forces, France, December 4th, 1918. To: Commanding Officer 105th Engrs.—Transmitted.

1. The Division Commander congratulates Colonel J. H. Pratt and the 105th Regiment Engineers on this handsome appreciation of their excellent work.

## BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL LEWIS:

(Signed) Andrew J. White, Lieut. Colonel, Inf., U. S. A., Adjutant.